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Sir:

This is in response to the Office Action dated October 5, 2004, setting a three-month term for reply.

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Pursuant to 37 C.F.R. §1.136(a), a three-month extension of the period for reply, *i.e.*, up to and including April 5, 2005, is requested. The Commissioner is authorized to charge \$1,020.00, in payment of the fee under 37 C.F.R. §1.17(a), any additionally required fee for the extension, or any other fee occasioned by this paper, to Deposit Account No. 50-0320.